BLUES AWAY —TWICE

MONDAY'S F.A. Cup draw presented Wycombe Wanderers with a difficult away tie in the fourth qualifying round at Croydon, who are currently unbeaten in Division Two of the Rothmans Isthmian League. So far this season, Croydon hav won nine of their 12 matches, including an 3-1 victory over Corinthian Casuals in mid-week.

Croydon's defensive record is impressive. They have conceded just five goals in the league while scoring 21 in the process.

The match on November 1 will bring back memories for Wycombe fans. Back in

December '69, they were drawn at Croydon in the first round of the Amateur Cup and won 1-0. Keith Searle, who joined the club earlier that season, scored the deciding goal in the 83rd minute and not Len Worley as first thought. This was to prove Len's final game for the club.

It is interesting to note that three of the team that played that day still with Wycombe — John, Maskell, Tony Horseman and John Delaney, Geoff Anthony missed the gamethrough injury. Croydon have a completely different side now with several former Division One players in their ranks.

Meanwhile, the Berks and Bucks Senior Cup first round draw was announced this week and Wanderers were again paired away, this time to Buckingham Town who are currently second in the United Counties. League Division One. They have beaten Newbury 1-0 and Burnham 3-1 at home in previous rounds.